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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed August 4, 2005 for the  
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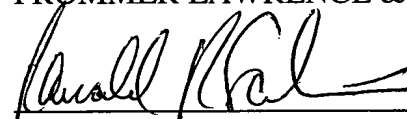
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- a) a copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements;
- b) a fully executed declaration for this application;
- c) an executed assignment document for this application along with recordation cover sheet;
- d) a certified copy of French Patent Application No. FR 02/09815 filed August 1, 2002, a certified copy of the priority document was not filed with the International Bureau during the international phase; and
- e) a check in the amount of \$170 which includes the surcharge for late filing of the declaration by a large entity (\$130) and the fee for the recording of the assignment document (\$40).

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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/31/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/31/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 01/31/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 01/31/2005
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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

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The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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